could tell how much he knew. But told them what she had accomplished

of Florence she was reasonably cer- all alone? Her exultation was of short

tain: and so long as she could fool duration. She heard the whine of the

the pretty infant the suspicions of the door on its hinges. The men were re-

manager of the garden if he knew about desperately. She saw but one

Miss Hargreave by sight the manager chance, the well. And even while the

nointed toward the box. The man door was swinging inward letting the

reporter were a negligible quanturning. Why?

and asked if she was Miss Hargreave. | derground river!

tity. She greeted them effusively and

The man took a letter from his

pocket and handed it to Olga, saying:

Give this to your father. He knows

Before she could reply the man had

Olga opened the note, her heart

beating furiously. It was utterly

hoax. Then she happened to remem-

ber that there was such a thing as in-

visible ink. At last! Hargreave was

alive; this letter settled all doubt in

her mind on this question. Alive!

And not only that, but the girl and

Jones were evidently in communica-

tion with him. She summoned a

waiter, made a secret sign, and he

bowed and approached. She slipped

morrow. It is in invisible ink and

"Very well." The waiter bowed and

Braine was in Boston over night,

otherwise the countess would have

the fact that the chemicals needed

Now it happened that Florence went out for her early ride the next morn-

never forget that face. She had seen

enemies. The face belonged to the

man who had impersonated her father

It occurred to her that she might

on her own hook. She had passed

found pleasure in thimbles and needles

press a spring, and a hole suddenly

yawned. The man vanished quickly,

and the spot took on again its vir-

ginal appearance. A cave. Florence

had the patience to wait. By and by

the man appeared again and slunk

yond range, she came out from the

moll, and searched about for the magic

handle of this strange door. Diligence

rewarded her, and she soon found

herself in a large, musty, earth-smell-

ing cave. Loot was scattered about,

and there were boxes and chairs and

a large chest. Men evidently met

here, possibly after some desperate

adventure against society. She found nothing to reward her hardihood, and

as she was in the act of moving to-

ward the cave's door she beheld with

She was near the chest at that mo-

ment. The cave was not a deep one.

There was no tunnel, only a wall.

Resolutely she raised the lid of the

chest, stepped inside, and drew the

lid down. She was just in time. The

door opened and three men entered,

talking volubly. They felt perfectly

secure in talking as loudly as they

pleased. To Florence it seemed almost impossible that they did not

hear the thunder of her heart? Strain

her ears as she might, she could gath-

ar but little of what they said, except:

"If Bargreave had this paper we

might all be gut on the defensive. To

an outsider it is a blank paper. But

the boss will be able to spad it. . . ."

The speaker moved away from the

vicinity of the chest and she heard

just enough to peep out. The man

who had been talking was putting the

note in his hip pocket. As he turned

toward the chest he sat down on the

soapbox immediately in front of the

chest. An inspiration came to the girl, an exceedingly daring one. She took

the cave aided her. When she crouch-

It seemed hours to her before the

men left the cave. As she heard the

hidden door far in closing she raised

the lid and stepped out, breathing

Very deftly Florence raised the lid

terror that it was moving!

place of concealment, crept up the

Found Herself in a Large, Musty Cave.

they began to reason that perhaps a

then turned away, walking on the

Meantime Florence was borne along

gained in swiftness every moment

swept to the other side of the hill, in-

world again. On, on she was carried.

Even though she was half dead, she

could hear the roar of a falls some

Braine thought he really had a clue

to the treasure, and with his usual

launch and began to prowl about, using a pole as a feeler. All the while

he was being closely watched by Nor-ton, who had concluded to hang onto

Braine's trail till he found something

worthy of note. Braine was disguised,

but this time Jim was not to be fooled.

But what was he looking for, wondered the reporter? Braine continued to

pole along, sometimes pausing to look

over the gunwale down into the wa-ter. In raising his head after the last

investigation he discerned something

struggling in the water, about three

hundred yards away. The current

leisurely brought the object into full

view. It was a young woman with

just power enough to keep herself

affoat. The golden head roused some-

thing in him stronger than curiosity.

Braine proceeded to move the launch

in the direction of the girl. It was

this movement that turned the report-

er's gaze. He, too, now saw the wom-

she had come there. When Braine

reached the girl and pulled her into

the launch Jim saw her face plainly.

He flew from his vantage point,

"By the Lord Harry!" murmured

the rogue. "Well, they can talk of

of nowhere, into my arms! The god

Florence eyed him wildly, not quite

"I don't know how you got here,"

he said; "and I don't care. But here

we are together at last. Where is

"Better think quickly," he warned.

"I want lucid answers to my ques-

tions, or back you go into the water.

I'm about at the end of my rope. I've

been beaten too many times, my girl,

to have any particular love for you.

"I don't know; I have never seen

And Jim's boat ran afoul some rocks

and into the water he went. He had

"I-I don't know," dezedly.

Now, where is your father?"

Braine laughed.

an in the water and wondered how

It might be!

and it's mine."

"Well, my beauty?"

her eyes.

your father?"

where in advance.

were hidden in the cave.

turned and was hurrying away.

how to read it."

"Yes. But I shouldn't have told him the letter into his hand and whis-

"Always call me hereafter, no mat- taken the mysterious note at once to

ter-what I'm doing. That man has him. She remained for perhaps a

never laid eyes on Florence and has quarter of an hour longer and then left

no idea what she looks like. Why did the garden. She would have taken the

you drug my coffee the night of that letter to her own apartment but for

to Atlantic City? I know everything. i.eg, and crossing a field she saw a

Hereafter, walk straight. If you play man with a bundle under his arm.

another trick I'll kill you with these The sun struck his profile and limned

two hands. And listen and tell this it plainly, and Florence uttered a low

to your confederates: I always know cry. The man had not observed her.

every move they make; that is why no So, very quietly, she slipped from the

one is missing from this house. There horse, tethered it to a tree, and started

is a traitor. Let them find him if they after the man to learn what he was

can. Will you walk straight, or will doing so far from the city. She would

"I-I will walk straight," she fal- it that dreadful night when the note

this is the first bit of dishonest work just as well do a little detective work

"Well, remember what I have said. through so many terrifying episodes

Another misstep and I'll make an end that she was beginning to crave for

At the Garden Jim and Florence and pins. She followed the man with

away.

sauntered among the crowd, not hav-ing any particular objective point in approach a knoll, stoop, apparently

to you. Don't think I'm trying to the excitement, strange as this may

"The money was too big a had lured her into the hands of her

"He's alive?"

Positively."

if Mr. Norton had not been with Miss pered: "Show that at the cave to-

Jones ran to the front, dashed out. meant for Hargreave."

He took her by the shoulder, whirled strolled away nonchalantly.

concerns.

The Million Dollar Mystery

By HAROLD MAC GRATH

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They had been gone from the house

"Thanks." The man turned abruptly

"Why didn't you call me?" he de-

"Did you tell him where she was?"

eyed the back of the man hastening

down the street, smiled, and returned

her about, and shot a look into her

"And how much did they pay you

for letting that doctor send Florence

"Did they give it to you?"

I ever did."

"What is It?"

her Is she slone?"

we'd better go elsewhere?"

"Yes. And more to stay here. But

"Olga Perigoff is yonder in a box."

"Very well; let us go and sit with

"Apparently. But don't you think

"My dear young man," said Flor-

roff has written me down as a sim-

nle voine fool and that is why sooner

or later, I'm going to put the shoe

to his work, or, rather, to the maid

The maid ran back to Jones.

"That is in town?"

and ran down the steps.

"There wasn't time"

eyes that qualled her.

She stepped back.

nanded impatiently.

SYNOPSIS

less than an hour when a man ran up the steps of the veranda and rang argreave, millionaire, after a secape from the den of the illant thieves known as the cod, lives the life of a recture years, Hargreave accidentaling, leader of the Black Hunger Braine will try to get him, from his own home by a balescanning he writes a letter escanning he writes a letter the bell. Jones being busy at the rear of the house, the maid came to the "Is Miss Hargreave in?" the stranhefore escaping he writes a legis's school where eighten ye he mysteriously left on the dhis baby daughter. Florence G day Hargreave also draws \$1.00 the bank, but it is reported tropped into the sea when the ball scaped in was punctured. Flore is from the girls school. Counterfalls and the sea when the ball scaped in was punctured. Flore is from the girls school. Counterfalls and the sea when the ball scaped in was punctured. "No," abruptly. The door began to close ever so slowly. "Do you know where I can find The maid eyed him with covert keenless; then, remembering that the reporter was with Florence, said: pelieve she is at the Rose Garden this blank. At first she thought it was a

s from the girls' school. Countess Braine's companion, visits her and a her as a relative. Two bogus dess call, but their plot is folled by a newspaper man. After failing it first attempt, the Black Hundred Florence. They ask her for money, he escapes, again foiling them. Normal the countess call on Florence the day, once more safe at home. The as having gone. Jones removes a n of floering and from a cavity a box. Fursued by members of the Hundred, he rushes to the water and succeeds in dropping the box the sea. Accomplices of Braine kid-Florence and hurry her off to sea, eaps overboard and is picked up in a l candillon by fishermen. Hraine, listed as her father, takes her back to

CHAPTER XIX.

A Blank Sheet of Paper. ering from the shock of her experi- scare you. You've witnessed enough seem. Like a gambler who has once ence at the masked ball of the Prin- to know that it's life and death in played for high stakes, she no longer cess Parlova, who, by the way, disapthis house. Now run along." red from New York shortly after the fire, no doubt because of her fear of the Black Hundred. The fire did not destroy the house, but most of

hed by water that they were ctically ruined. Her coming and hen the public found something else

Norton was a constant visitor at the Hargreave place. There was to him a new interest in that mysterious house, ence with mock loftiness, "Olga Periwith its hidden panels, its false floors, its secret funnels; but he treated Jones upon the same basis as hitherto. One thing, however: He felt a sense urity in regard to Florence such as he had not felt before. So, between assignments, he ran out to Riverdale and did what he could to amuse his sweetheart. Later, they took short rides in the runabout, and at length she became as lively as she had ever

What makes you frown like that?"

"Was I frowning?" innocently "I find you this way a dozen times

in an afternoon. What is the matter? Are they after you again?" Heavens, no! I'm only a vague is-They will not bother me so long

as I do not bother them. It has dwindled into a game of truce." "Do you think so?" eying him curi-"What's the use of trying to fool pen. Jim? If they haven't been after

you, you are sensing a presage of evil. 'm not a child any longer. Haven't To me you are the most charming in all this wide world. No, you're not a child any longer. You are a woman, brave and patient; and I know that I uld trust you with any secret I have or own. But sometimes a person may

have a secret which is not his and which he hasn't any right to dis-She became stlent for awhile, "I

hate money," she said. "I hate it, have coddled me long enough. Inas- ecuted the deed. But the dimness of "It's mighty comfortable to have it ing for, I intend to have something ed down again the magic paper was

around sometimes," he countered. "As in my case, for instance. If I play." were poor and had to work no one would bother me."

Come; let's throw off moods and go subtle enemy, conscious of a tingle deeply. The paper she had purloined into town for tea at the Rose Garden; of sest as they did so. On her part, was indeed blank, but Jones or Jim and if you feel strong enough we'll trip the light fantastic.

LIQUOR REACHED THE SPOT standing the Indian sign, took a bot-

Error Made by Assistant Need Not Have Worried the Dispenser

of Druge.

Wallace Irwin is fond of telling a yarn about a Scotch sheep herder who longhed into a western town which had recently gone for prohibition. He entered a drug store and, as was cusso the assistant, a young lad, under- ing alone on the shelf.

tle from a shelf and helped the customer to half a gobletful of brown liquid. The Scotchman smacked his lips, paid his score and went his stolid

For a Moment the Countess Suspected

a Trap.

much as I am the stake they are play-

"All right; you're the admiral," he

said with pretended lightness.
So the two of them joined their

on the other foot. You and Jones her liberty in her hands as she ex-

this sleepy-eyed reporter. She never wouldn't they be surprised when she

Shortly afterward the proprietor came back and said to his assistant: "Any business?"

"Scotchman came and tapped the you-know on the counter," replied the tomary, made a signal on the soda boy, "so I gave him some." He pointcounter. Now, the proprietor was out, ed to the bottle of brown liquid stand-

sulphurle acid!" Tableau.

For two weeks the druggist lived the life of a hunted man. He discharged his belper, made his will, contemplated suicide and spent real ioney advertising for the widow of the unfortunate customer whom his carelessness had sent to an agonizing death. Just as he was about to surrender to despair he was suddenly relieved by beholding the same Scotch

o' the same bottle. It's a wee bit strong, but it puts heart in a mon!"

In the United Kingdom a form of

Cultivate Trust in Self. Self-trust is the essence of heroism It speaks the truth and it is just, generous, hospitable, scornful of petty calculations, of being scorned. It persists: it is an undaunted boldness and

"Where have they hidden that

"Well, well; I've given you your

chance. You'll have to try your luck

you are," she answered quickly.

"That damned Hargreave nerve!"

They were returning because they with the water again." offered them chairs. For half an hour had discovered a woman's shoeprint Florence, weak as she was, set her they sat there, chatting inanities, all outside. It pointed toward the cave, the while each mind busy with deeper freshly, and there was none coming "You don't ask for mercy?" he said away. To reenter the chest would be When the man in search of Flor- foolhardy. It would be the first place "I should be wasting my breath to ence eventually arrived and asked the the men would look. She glanced ask for mercy from such a monster as

wound his way in and out of the idlers brilliant sunshine enter, she sum-He rolled up his sleeves and stepped and by the time he reached the box moned up the courage and let herself toward her. She braced herself but did not turn her eyes from his. Sud-Jim and Florence had made their de down into the well, which proved to denly, from nowhere at all, came a parture. The man bowed, approached. be nothing more nor less than an unpair of hands. One clutched the gun-For a moment the countess suspected | The men came in with a rush, They wale and the other laid hold of Braine. a trap. Then it appealed to her mind upset boxes, looked into the chest, and A quick pull followed, and Braine bethat if there was no trap it might be the man who was evidently in comgan to topple. But even as he fell well to pose as Florence, if only to mand gazed down the well, shaking he managed to fling himself atop his learn what the outcome might be his head. Their search was thorough, assailant; and it was only when the "Yes. What is wanted?" she asked. but they found no one. And at length

struggle began in the water that he ecognized the reporter. All the devil in him came to the surface and he fought with the fierceness of a tiger to kill, kill. In nearly every instance this meddling reporter had checkmated him. This time one or the other of them should stay in the Norton recognized that he had a large order before him to disable

Braine. The recognition between them was now frank and absolute: there could never again be any diplomatic sidestepping. "You're a dead man, Norton!" panted Braine, as he reached for the

reporter's throat. Norton said nothing, but struck the hand aside. For a moment they both went under. They came up sputtering, each trying for a hold. It was a terribly enervating struggle.

Florence could do nothing. boat in which she sat continued to drift away from the fighting men. Once she tried to reach Braine with the pole he had been using, but failed. From the shore came another boat. For awhile she could not tell whether it contained friends or enemies. It was terrible to be forced to wait, absolutely helpless. When she heard the newcomers call encouragingly to Braine she know then that the brave fight of her sweetheart was going to come to naught. She knew a little about motors. She threw on the power and headed straight toward the rowboat. The men shouted at her, but she did not alter her course. The rowboat had its sides crushed in and the men went piling into the water.

woman had got as far as the door and "Jim." she cried. Norton suddenly flung off Braine and began to swim madly for the motorboat, which Florence had brought by the swift current of the river, which about. Even then it was only by the barest luck in the world that Norton From time to time she bumped along managed to catch the gunwale. The the rocky walls, but she clung to life rest of it was simple. When they valiantly. In ten minutes she was finally reached a haven, Florence, oddly enough, thought of the horse she to the rapids; but the blue sky was had left tethered nine miles from the overhead, she was out in the familiar

stables. She laughed hysterically. "I guess he won't die. We can send someone out for him. Now, for heav-en's sake, how did you get into this? Where were you? What have you been up to?" with tender brusqueness.

"I wanted to do a little detective work of my own," she faltered. was worth anything. He procured a You infant! Will you never learn to



ound a skiff, and started after Braine. Just Power Enough to Keep Herself

manna from heaven, but this is what keep outside this muddle? It's a I call luck. Florence Hargreave, out man's work." Florence, thoroughly weakened by of luck has cast another horseshoe her long immersion in the water, be-

gan to weep silently. He had a flask in his pocket, and "You poor child. I'm a brute!" And he forced some of the biting spirits he comforted her. down the girl's throat. She opened

Later that day, at home, she remembered the blank paper. "I stole this from one of the men in the cave. He said this blank pa-

understanding where he had come per would probably save father." Jim took it. "Hm! Invisible ink, and it's had a fine washing." "But maybe it is waterproof." "Maybe it is. Anyhow, Miss Sher-

lock, we'll show it to Jones and see what he says." (TO BE CONTINUED.)

Danger Sign. The National Affiliated Safety organizations, New York and Chicago, have designed a metal floor type danger ger and an arrow pointing upward to give warning of overhead danger. In by a red plate. If there is no danger not attracted Braine's attention, for the two sections of the sign, which are the countess was always suspicious of would know what to do with it. And tunately. He began to swim toward hinged at the top, are folded face to face, thus displaying blank surfaces.

> "Great heavens, child," shricked the | sheep herder, healthy and matter-of | height and between the ages of eighproprietor, "that ain't whisky. That's fact, shuffle into his drug store, step teen and thirty being called on to to the counter, beckon mysteriously, serve in the militia, but this law is held in abevance by act of parliament. "Losh, laddie. Ye maun gie me a In May, 1904, a royal commission rewee nipple. And mind ye pour it out ported in favor of the conscription, but the suggestion did not survive the resultant severe criticism.

The use of the pressgang has always been legal, but is not now taken advantage of. Seafaring men and conscription was created by the ballot others were liable to be pressed into act of 1880, which provided for all the king's service in times of emer-

efficiency of the field hospitals. He says also that he has seen no wounds caused by dumdum bullets. Field surgeons have said the same thing.

REPEAL OF OHIO FLOOD ACT

IMPENDING DANGER IN MIAMI VALLEY DISCUSSED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

WAYS AND MEANS POSTPONED

Governor Could Have Put Through Number of Policy Bills-Reached Program Conclusion.

(By Denny Donovan.) dynamiting of the ice gorges in the eral assembly to demand a caucus of neighboring river, and with late edi- of the Republicans, at which a legistions of newspapers carrying reports lative program will be determined. A of impending danger in the Miami val- request that all legislation not absoley before the members, the general lutely necessary be eliminated will be assembly took up the vitally important made, and in order that this program subject of virtually repealing the legis- shall be adhered to, weekly caucuses lation enacted for protection following of the majority be demanded. Memthe tremendous flood of March, 1913. bers of the Hamilton county delega-Both branches worked upon the calen- tion were active in furthering this dars, each passing a number of bills plan, which met with the approval of a but when adjournment came the rec- large number of the members of both ord of having enacted no new legisla- houses, because of the conservative tion remained unbroken. This fact attitude of the Cincinnati members. was sarcastically commented upon by The point it will be sought to impress the Democratic state central commit- upon the majority leaders is that a tee, which met near the capitol during general overturning of present laws the session. This gathering was in re- should be avoided and that no time sponse to a motion made last Decem- should be wasted on frivolous measber. At that time the committee accut- ures. Necessary local bills will not be ed the view that Republican legisla- discriminated against. When the cautive leaders and Gov. Frank B. Willis cus meets, one of the subjects dis would have put through a number of cussed will be the so-called economy the party's policy bills and also have scheme of the administration. There reached some conclusion as to a gen- is a growing sentiment in both houses eral program. When the session was against cutting down salaries of apbegun Vice Chairman W. W. Durbin, pointees. The point will be made of Kentucky, announced that the pro- in the caucus that cutting salarles of posed intention to devise ways and heads of important departments is not scarf and I had 50 stitches on my means to combat the actions of the wise. majority would have to be indefinitely postponed for the reason that there Assembly To Get Busy. were no new laws to criticize and no apparent crystallization upon any of the bills designed to redeem campaign pledges.

State Industrial Board.

A report of the claims department shows that 4.059 claims for injury under the workmen's compensation completes a total of 65,659 claims for by the commission up to the present of the compensation law by which em- the governor, ployers carry-their own insurance 631 dred and sixteen of these claims were

disposed of during the month Columbus May Lose 3-Cent Fares. An intimation that Columbus may lose the advantage of three-cent street car fares that she has enjoyed for the last six years, came recently, when Samuel G. McKeen, the president of the company, informed the city officials that it was out of the question for the company to lay new tracks and pavements in several streets that need repair and which it had been the intention of the city to repave during the coming summer

No Relief for Prospective Brides. No relief will be forthcoming at the present session of the Ohio assembly for prospective brides. The senate license is issued.

Employment Is Secured.

The state commission has announced that during the past week the five free employment bureaus under its supervision secured employment for 2,449 persons out of 2,649 apare located at Cleveland, Cincinnati. Columbus, Toledo and Dayton

Names New Library Commissioners. state board of library commissioners. the work of the board is vital.

has been appointed hostess at the Ohio Auditor Durr, of Cincinnati, for simposed that he was wealthy.

savine of \$7,000 a year.

piece by piece from him who will re-

WHAT ECONOMY NEXT?

To dispense with the paid chaplain on the ground of economy and to contribute his salary to charity. was moved in a resolution by Rep. resentative George Morris, of Fairfield, in the Ohio assembly. In lieu of the chaplain it was proposed to open sessions with the repeating of "The Lord's Prayer" in unison, and to mark the closing with "The Doxology" in long meter, the speaker of the house leading the

Will Exclude Frivolous Bills.

Definite steps looking toward carry-

ing out of the Republican platform pledges were taken here when agreement was reached among a number Columbus .- Within the sound of the of the majority members in the gen-

With a view to summoning a carcus and deciding upon a legislative program, Speaker Charles D. Conover and other Republican leaders of the house of representatives held a conference This was requested by Willis W. Yeatman, spokesman for the large of the state industrial commission Cincinnati delegation, who drew attention to the fact that nothing had been done toward the redemption of law were disposed of in January. This the campaign pledges and that a large number of frivolous and inconsequencompensation that have been settled tial bills were being received. It was agreed to hold a caucus and arrange time. There were 21 deaths reported for a course, which would mean the during the month, making a total of elimination of the useless measures 441 deaths that have been filed. The and the speedy enactment of necestotal number of accidents reported has sary legislation. This action carries reached 75,107, leaving a total of 9,448 more than ordinary significance. It now pending. Of this number 1,618 unveils the fact that, although the claims are being carried as continued general assembly has been in session cases, and will be finally disposed of for 30 days, it has done virtually nothas soon as the extent of the injuries ing, not a single bill of any descripcan be determined. Under the section tion having been passed and sent to

injuries were reported, making a total Will Continue Campaign. of 10,387 of these injuries reported since January 1, 1914. Of this number 8,506 have been approved and vember in declaring for resubmission ber 8,506 have been approved and of a prohibition amendment to the affirmed by the commission, leaving Ohio constitution at the November, the blood. They become sluggish and Anti-Saloon League voted unanimously their willingness also to back a campaign submitting an amendment, repealing the "home rule" amendment, adopted at the late election and held valid by the state supreme court. Fifteen hundred delegates to the state dry convention, which was held here, voted on the proposal to include a home rule repeal measure in this year's campaign. Many dry leaders strongly favor this policy, but sentiment among the delegates is said to be divided as to its expediency. Some fear that this dual program would

Licenses for Commission Men.

spell another dual defeat

Strict regulation of commission merchants is proposed in a bill introduced been used for generations to flush and has killed a bill introduced by Senator by Representative Nungesser, of Craw-Archer, of Noble, to permit a prospec- ford county. Licenses under the state tive bride to secure a marriage agricultural commission are provided license by making affidavit of the in- for and may be revoked any time for formation expected of her. As a re- participation in a combination to raise sult prospective brides must accom- prices, failure to satisfy a money judgpany the prospective bridegroom to ment, false charges for handling the court house when the marriage produce, failure to account promptly to consignor, making fraudulent settlement and other infractions. The bill provides that merchants shall give \$3,000 bond to the commission to insure correct settlements with consignors and prescribes penalties of from \$25 to \$300 for offences

plications for work. These bureaus Movie Censors Board Want To Stick. Ohio legislators will be afforded some enjoyment during the present session. The Ohio board of moving pleture censors who are fighting Gov. Willis appointed O. F. Hypes, proposed bill to abolish the board, of Springfield, Republican, to succeed plan to show the legislators some mov-John McSweeny, of Wooster, and Pro- ing pictures uncensored. The idea of fessor C. W. Sparks, of the University the board in presenting the pictures of Cincinnati, to succeed John J. Stod- to the legislators is to have them dard, of Columbus, as members of the judge for themselves whether or not

Durr's Plan Is Favored.

building at the Panama exposition, is plifying and making less expensive the tions. Nothing better, cleaner, purer. the widow of the late Thomas J. present registration system by substisign which includes three signals. The Bryce, member of the clothing firm tuting a card index system of voters first is a red plate with the word dan- of Bryce Brothers, and well known in are embodied in a bill now being prethis and other states for his interest pared by Secretary of State C. Q. in baseball. He was president of the Hildebrandt, Senator D. Wickline, of the second signal the arrow is covered Columbus American association club Akron, and George H. Shauf, clerk of company at the time of his death. the Stark county board of elections. Bryce dropped dead while watching a Under the proposed law election game on the grounds of his company booths would be open in every prehere eight years ago. It had been sup- cinct in the state for registration of voters between May 19 and May 24. Do Spring Work Now.

Among the first departments to be An "address to the people of Ohio," examined by the special legislative issued by a joint committee of the committee to survey salaries and jobs Senate and House, urges citizens, muwith the intention of cutting both will nicipal and all subdivisions of the be the state board of administration. state to make special efforts to have Administration leaders indicated that work done now instead of in the this investigation may lead to an en-spring, in order to employ part of the tire reorganization of the board. The idle men seeking employment. The administration program, it is said, is committee made this appeal after conto cut the salaries of members of the ferring with Governor Willis. On the board from \$5,000 to \$4,000, of the sec- committee are Senators Myers of Maretary from \$3,000 to \$2,000, and of the rion and Kennedy of Cuyahoga and fiscal supervisor from \$4,000 to \$2,000, Representatives Whittacre of Columbiana and Chapman of Montgomery.

Do not yield to the temptation of most fainted in spirit, the thought looking at everything at once, as if comes, "If thou hast run with the everything would happen at once, and footmen, and they have wearled thee. all the events of the day be crowded what shalt thou do with the horseinto an hour. Do not thus forecast, men?" Put it from you, it is a faithless but take each thing as it comes to thought; if you need more strength, you, and look upon it as the present you will have it, be sure of that: or expression of the will of God concern- the call to greater exertion may never ing you; then regard the next in the come to you. Your business is with same way, and thus receive your day the present; leave the future in his hands who will be sure to do the member always when he gives you best, the very best for you.—Priscilla work to do, that you need strength Maurice.

FRUIT LAXATIVE FOR SICK CHILD

"California Syrup of Figs" can'l harm tender stomach. liver and bowels.

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs" that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels with When cross, irritable, feverish, or

breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoes, indigestion, colic-rem ber, a good "inside cleaning" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California.

Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask at the store for a 50cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown was printed on the bottle. Adv

ADOPTED THE IDEA AT ONCE

Proposed Change in Knitting Plans Met Enthusiastic Approbation of the Debutante.

A bud of the season who well deserved the name was puckering her pretty brows over a piece of gray olen knitting, "What are you make

ing, Dorothy?" a friend asked her. needle to begin with and now there are 90. However can it go on get-ting so much wider? Now they tell me that I ought to make it two and a half yards long and I simply cannot

carry the dirty thing around with me that long." "Yes," said her friend sympathet-ically, "I can't bear those dirty gray things, so I made a darling little pink

"But that won't do for a soldier." "I know it, so I sent it for some litle Belgian child. It's far more entertaining than those awful things you're

"What a perfectly lovely idea! am going to throw this away and make a blue one for a little Belgian Won't that be cute?"

QUIT MEAT IF KIDNEYS BOTHER AND USE SALTS

fast If Your Back Is Hurting or Bladder is Irritated.

If you must have your meat every day, eat it, but flush your kidneys with salts occasionally, says a noted authorweaken, then you suffer with a du misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tor is coated and when the weather is you have rheumatic twinges. urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get sore and irrita obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids, to cleanse the kidneys and flush of the body's urinous waste get four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy here; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acids of grapes and lemon fuice, combined with lithia, and has stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladde Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot in

jure, and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink .- Adv The Asylum's Advantage.

At the orphan asylum the childle Mrs. Hathaway, who had selected an "Will I have to keep the baby if it doesn't suit my husband?" she asked,

"Of course you won't have to keep it," responded the accomemdating matron. "You can bring the kid back and exchange it any time. We're not arbitrary, like the stork."

HAIR OR NO HAIR?

It is Certainly Up to You and Cuticura. Trial Free.

Hot shampoos with Cutlcura Soap, followed by light dressings of Cutiskin tend to clear the scalp of dan-Mrs. T. J. Bryce, of Columbus, who The ideas advanced by County druff, soothe itching and irritation and promote healthy hair-growing condi-Sample each free by mail with Bo Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. XY,

"Mister Interlocutor, can you tell me the difference between an Irish soldier and a Scotch soldier when fighting in the trenches with the

"No, Mr. Bones, I cannot. Will you elucidate the difference?" "One says he is kilt with the cold and the other says he is cold with the kiit."

When Your Eves Need Care

Use Nurine Eye Medicine. No Smarting—Feels Fine—Acts Quickly. Try it for Red, Weak Sore Eyes and Granulated Eyelids, Marine is compounded by our Oculists—not a "Patent Medicine"—but used in successful Physicians Practice for many years. Now dedicated to the Public and sold by Druggists at 50c per Bottle. Murine Eye Salve in Aseptic Tubes, 55c and 50c. Write for Book of the Eye Free. Murine Eye Remedy Company, Chicago. Adv. "In the old days when a soldier went

to war he stood some chance of being covered with glory." "Quite so, but nowadays he merely gets covered with mud.'

Smile, smile, beautiful clear white clothes. Red Cross Ball Blue, American made, therefore best. All grocers. Adv. A woman likes to joily her husband

by telling him he is working too hard. Mrs. Austin's Bag Fancake, delie

An ideal has no tangible form. It

of His Name to Have Won

English Military Leader is the Third

Cook's Oracle," in which culinary in- Northamptonshire stakes on a horse sor. structions are given with such entic- named Dollar. While the great Kitching pleasantry and clever anecdote as ener is now a central figure in the to win the dullest reader. The second European conflict, it was the Franco-Kitchener was a noted jockey, who German war of 1870 that proved the as he was once classified, says that Kitchener of Khartum is not known rode in the year 1844 the horse Red first but the third Kitchener known Deer for the Chester cup and won. to the The first was Dr. William says an exchange. He had weighed Firstings the variation in the second in at two stone twelve pounds (forty forty-three years. Johnny Reiff, the ford, only one death occurred, and that counts for nothing-a London pounds), and four years before he receve man who died at the age of went to scale at Ascot weighing only glory on the English racecourse on his this war will establish a new record The in the state of the state o

where he died in 1872 at the age of

and whisner.

males of over five feet two inches in | genc; without any notice.

KITCHENERS KNOWN TO FAME and even wrote a book entitled "The | back to England in 1864 and won the | heavier than his diminutive predeces | effects of high-speed bullets and to the

Doctor Osler, the enemy of old men undoing of the great little Kitchener. the carnage from the present war is That war drove him back to England, not so great as it seems. With 800 wounded men in the hospital at Oxlittle American jockey, who achieved from lockjaw. The doctor thinks that